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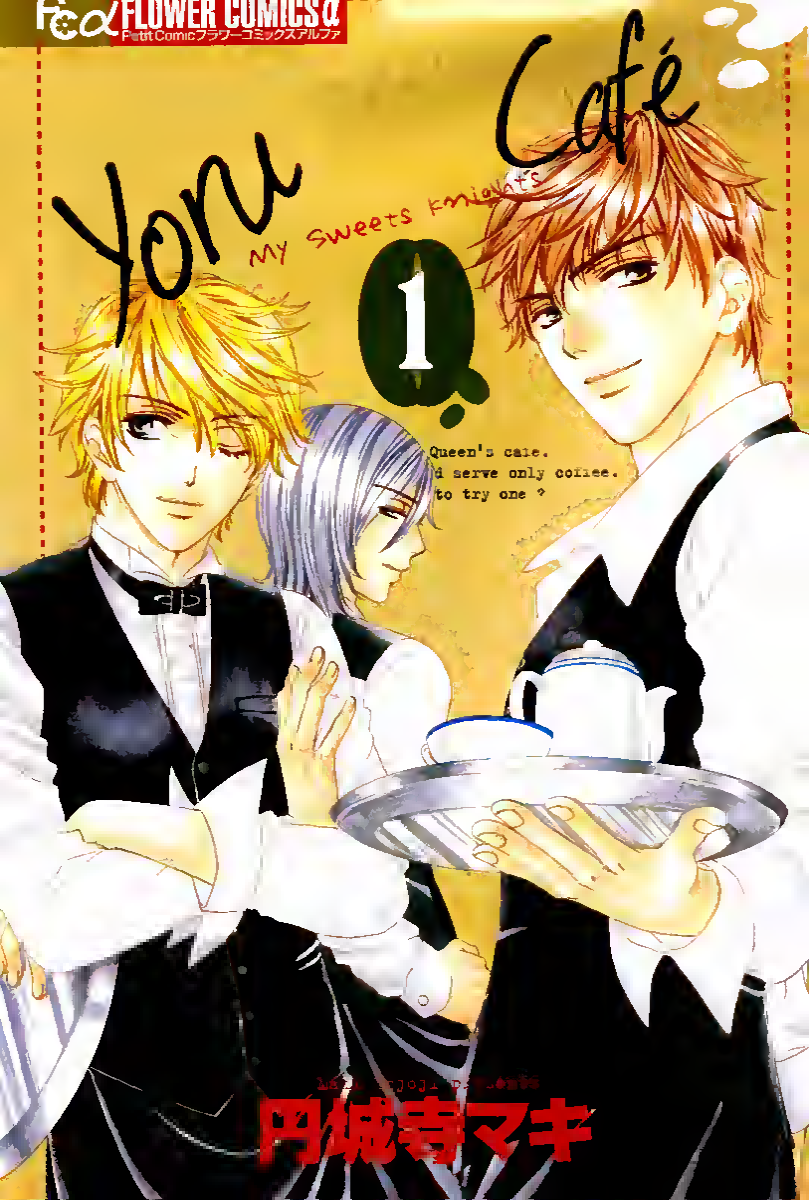

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MENU

天涯孤独の妃菜は、
親子ほど年のちがう資産家と恋に落ち、若くして結婚した。
だが夫の病死で、結婚生活は二年ほどで幕を閉じた。
遺産争いを繰り広げる親族をよそに、
妃菜は夫の遺志に従って、一軒のカフェを相続する。
その店は夜しか開いておらず、
イケメンのギャルソンが三人で切り回していたが…？
エンマキのスウィート♥逆ハーレム？ラブコメディ、
甘くホットに開店!!

Queen's cafe

Welcome to the Queen's cafe.
We are open at night and serve only coi
Would you care to try one ?

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Eiji Maki
I'M SO HUNGRY.
I shouldn't have skipped my lunch
Even though I'm busy packing up
I need to hurry but my legs
I think all of my stuff should have arrived by now

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こんにちは。円城寺マキです。
プチコミックでの連載も3作目になりました。
今度のはイロモノじゃないんだせ…と胸を張って言いたいですが、代わりに9人数多すぎです!!
メインが5人って…。アホ?アホなの!?
毎回…作画に苦労してます。
毎回…いろいろ手ヘソです。
そんなこんなですが、ちょこっとでもお楽しみいただけましたら幸いです。

TH-
UD
Coughing
I CAN'T...
Let's go!
Let's go!
Oh dear!!
Sorry, Kunikazu-san
I know,
that I can't follow you..
But I'm already..
HEY!! HEY YOU!

BEFORE THE AMBULANCE ARRIVES,
CAN'T STAND IT ANY-MORE
I CAN'T SIMPLY LEAVE HER HERE
QUEEN'S CAFE
Dead-
IF YOU SLEEP HERE, YOU'LL ROT TO DEATH

SOUSHI!! WHAT WAS HOLDING YOU UP?
DO YOU KNOW WHAT'S THE TIME NOW?
HUH?
WHAT'S GOING ON?
Fainted
I WAS TWO STREETS AWAY FROM HERE; SHE PAINTED RIGHT IN FRONT OF ME

OH, HOW CAN I LEAVE HER ON THE STREET AND UNDER THE HOT SUN!!
LET ME CALL 911
WHERE IS NAN-JOU?
HE WENT OUT TO BUY DINNER.
GUUUU...
GU...GU...GU...GU...
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT,
SHE FAINTED BECAUSE SHE WAS TOO HUNGRY AND WEAK
I'M BACK.
TING

NAN-JOU...!!
BRING THAT ALONG TO THE OFFICE.
WHAT HAPPENED TO HER...?
STAFF ONLY
HMPH..
FLOP
SHE'S KINDA CUTE,
YOU HAD TO PICK UP SOME-THING GOOD
CUT THE CRAP, DINNER IS HERE.

I'M ALRIGHT,
I CAN EAT A CUP OF NOODLES.
A sickness without any cure, is slowly torturing him.
WHAT ABOUT YOU SOUSHI?
Please help yourself
ARE YOU ALRIGHT?
I only found out after our marriage.
But I never expected it to be so soon.
I HEARD... JUST TURNED 23 YEARS OLD...
ALTHOUGH SHE'S PRETTY, BUT MARRIED TO SOMEONE WHO CAN BE HER FATHER...
OUR BROTHER IS REALLY SOMETHING...

To me, money is not important at all.
No, it's not like that
IF THAT'S THE CASE, LATER ON SHE WILL BE SURROUNDED BY A YOUNG CHAP.
OUR BROTHER IS A FAMOUS AND RICH ENTREPRENEUR; I GUESS SHE'S JUST AFTER HIS MONEY.
I REMEMBERED, IT WAS MENTIONED ON HIS WILL THAT MOST OF OUR BROTHER'S WEALTH WILL BE PASSED ON TO HIS EX-WIFE AND SON ..
NO MATTER WHAT, I BELIEVE, SHE WILL INHERIT AN ENORMOUS AMOUNT OF WEALTH...
HUH?
I don't understand...
he was someone whom I had been searching for all this while, but...
Your own relative had just passed away,
and yet you are still talking about money, don't you feel sad?

GFX: Guu~
WHAT,
WHERE AM I, NOW?
Please help yourself
Please help yourself
Although I'm not sure what happened...
but someone can be so kind
TOUCHED
Thank you!!
Al...YA?
.....
ぐぅ〜
ぎゅるるる

HEY,
YOU'RE AWAKE?
Kon...
Kon...
STAFF ONLY
YOU FAINTED ON THE STREET,
DON'T YOU REMEMBER?
ALSO YOUR STOMACH GROANED SO LOUDLY.
TA...
?

SOUSHI SAWATARI!
SOUSHI-KUN YOU'RE SOUSHI SAWATARI RIGHT!?
OH, ER... YES...
I USED TO BE YOUR FAN!
AND WATCH ALL YOUR MATCHES!
YOU'RE ALREADY A SPORT PRODIGY AT INTERNATIONAL STANDARD WHEN YOU'RE 19 YEARS OLD
Yu... those were the days
YOU RANKED NUMBER SEVEN AT WIMBLEDON, NUMBER FIVE AT AN OVERALL MATCH COMPETITION. AT TWENTY TWO, YOU SET A NEW RECORD. IN JAPAN, YOU RANKED NUMBER ONE. YOU RANKED SEVENTEEN AT INTERNATIONAL LEVEL!!

BUT, A FEW YEARS AGO...
YOU RETIRED FROM TENNIS FROM A SEVERE INJURY...
YOU KNEW SO MUCH...
BUT WHY IS SOUSHI HERE?
HUH?
IT'S A LONG STORY.
WHAT, YOU ATE ALL OF THOSE MEALS?
YUP, BECAUSE ON THE NOTE, IT WAS WRITTEN, PLEASE HELP YOURSELF
Bong...
BUT, HOW CAN YOU HAVE FINISHED ALL THREE MEALS?
Usually, only one can eat a meal
OH, I'M SORRY...
TAKI, PLEASE GET READY FOR THE OPENING HOURS, DON'T SNEAK AWAY
HAHA... YOU'RE AWAKE...
Laughing
PREPARE FOR OPENING?
YUP, THIS IS A SHOP.

WHICH IS CALLED.
THE QUEEN'S CAFE.
QUEEN'S CAFE

NICE MEETING YOU ALL,
FROM TODAY ONWARDS, I'M THE NEW OWNER OF THIS CAFÉ MY NAME IS HINA TAKATO
I INHERIT THIS BUILDING AND CAFÉ FROM YOUR FORMER BOSS, KUNIKAZU.
IN FUTURE, PLEASE LOOK OUT FOR ME.
ALSO...
SILENT
SO SORRY,
I...I... ATE ALL OF YOUR DINNERS.
IT'S ALRIGHT,
IT WAS THE FAULT OF THAT STUPID PERSON WHOM LEFT ALL THE DINNERS HERE HAHA

I'M SOUSHI...
I'M YOSHIZUMI YUKIMARA 26 YEARS OLD...
I'M NANJOU NOZOMU, 21 YEARS OLD...
HOW CAN YOU FINISH ALL OF OUR DINNERS, HOW CAN YOU...THREE PORTIONS...
FORMER BOSS, KUNIKAZU-SAN WAS A GOOD BOSS. WHAT ABOUT HER? WILL SHE BE PAYING US THE SAME SALARY? BUT, THE CAFÉ IS NOT MAKING MONEY... SHIT...
CAN'T IMAGINE SHE'D MARRY SOMEONE WHO CAN BE HER FATHER, BUT IT'S NOT A CRIME.
IT'S ALRIGHT.
DINNER TIME IS OVER, AND WE HAVE NO TIME TO EAT IT ANYWAY.
WE NEED TO PREPARE FOR OPENING, SEE YOU LATER.
ER,... BUT THE DINNER.
TREMBLING

Kunikazu, I've...
made such silly mistakes...
Flap
.....

QUEEN'S C
I believe there's only three of them
From what I know, Queen's Café opens at 6pm
I think I should offer some help
but without a female helper,
it can be inconvenient
although, the three of them are very handsome

SOUSHI, CAN YOU COME OVER HERE AND HELP ME WITH THIS?
ER, IS THERE ANY THING I CAN HELP WITH?
NO, NOTHING... IT'S ALRIGHT.
.....
AH, LET ME HANDLE THIS
GRAB
NO NEED
YOU DON'T HAVE TO DO ANYTHING

THUMP
Angry------
An...
That's what I thought, because I ate his dinner.
YOU DON'T HAVE TO DO ANYTHING,
PERHAPS, YOU CAN MOVE ALL YOUR STUFF TO YOUR ROOM UPSTAIRS
TOKO..TOKO..TOKO...
YOSHI-ZUMI...
BECAUSE YOU'RE THE BOSS

SORRY, THE CAFÉ WILL ONLY OPEN AT 6PM.
OH, SO SORRY, BUT I HAVE SOME-THING—
HIZAKI-SAN!!
WHAT HAPP-ENED? WHY ARE YOU HERE?
OH, I WAS NEARBY TO SETTLE SOME ERRANDS,
I HEARD THAT YOU SHIFTED HERE TODAY, SO I CAME OVER TO HAVE A LOOK.

I'M ONLY EXECUTING KUNIKAZU -SAN'S WILL.
HE IS A LAW-YER...
I'M REALLY GRATEFUL FOR WHAT YOU HAVE DONE,
YOU'VE HELPED ME IN SO MANY WAYS.
IT'S ALRI-GHT...
BUT, I HAVE MIXED FEELINGS WHILE BOTH KUNIKAZU-SAN AND I DISCUSSED ABOUT HIS WILL,
ALTHOUGH, I DO NOT WANT TO GET INVOLVED WITH THE WILL'S DISPUTE, BUT WHAT YOU CAN INHERIT IS NOT MERELY THIS BUILDING AND CAFÉ
YOU'RE ALSO KUNIKAZU-SAN'S LEGAL WIFE.
YOU DON'T EVEN NEED TO GO FOR A COURT CASE, YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO INHERIT ALL HIS WEALTH.
NO.

YOU ALREADY HAVE GIVEN ME A ORPHANED LOT, NOW HE'S GIVEN ME A PLACE WHERE I CAN SURVIVE,
I'M ALREADY SATISFIED...
HISAKI-SAN, YOU DON'T HAVE TO PROBE ANYMORE.
I'LL BE FINE EVEN THOUGH I'M ALONE.
ALTHOUGH, IT WAS BECAUSE OF MY EX HUSBAND, YOU TOOK GOOD CARE OF ME,
BUT IN THE FUTURE, YOU DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT ME ANYMORE
HAVE I CAUSE YOU TOO MUCH TROUBLE?
?

HUH, NO, OF COURSE NOT...
THEN, AT LEAST LET ME WORRY ABOUT YOU.
I'M IN DEBTS TO KUNIKAZU-SAN,
THEREFORE, PLEASE LET ME REPAY HIM.
YES...
OH YEA, ARE YOU FREE LATER ON?
HUH?
HAHA, SINCE I'M HERE, I'M THINKING OF BUYING YOU DINNER
YOU'RE REALLY SOMETHING, NO WONDER YOU'RE A LAWYER.
IN RETURN, WE NEED TO BE CAREFUL...

DINNER.
HAIL
no...er....
...no...so sorry... perhaps next time...
OH REALLY. THAT'S TOO BAD.
ALMOST TIME FOR OPERATION.
I SEE.
ALTHOUGH I'M NOT IN ANY CAPACITY TO SAY ANY-THING,
BUT PLEASE TAKE GOOD CARE OF HINA...
OH YEA, THE NAME OF THE CAFÉ WAS CHOSEN BY KUNIKAZU RIGHT?
I THINK SO...

THIS CAFÉ.
BELONGS TO HINA-CHAN.
?

QUEEN'S CAFE
6:00 PM.
Queen's Café. Open
Kii...
WELCOME
Table for two
I'm saying he's not mad
So...that was it...
May I take your order?

I thought without a female helper, it will be inconvenient.
But in the end, all the customers are ladies.
Office workers, University students...
Soushi was different, compared to the olden days
the hand which used to hold a racket, are now switched to hold a tray and saucers
evolve that kind of smile...
As mentioned,
YOU'RE HERE PRETTY OFTEN
Yes.

kind of like a distant feeling.
people indeed will change...
BOSS.
SO SORRY, THIS SEAT.
DO YOU MIND TO SITTING SOMEWHERE ELSE?
WE HAVE TOO MANY CUSTOMERS, NOT ENOUGH SEATS.
AH... OH... SURE...

When he was inside the court
he always gave others a cold look, that made him so distant
just like when you touch him, he shall explode

Kunikazu is merely an owner by name, he does not administer the operation...
yet I need to work here
No matter what, I still can't stay in the shop
although I am their boss, but what can I do...?
STAFF ONL
I should do something useful.
Ah..ah... no, I shouldn't have such thoughts.
Was the date when Kunikazu passed away...
8
MON TUE WED THU FRI SAT
1 2 3 4
6 7 8 9 10 11
13 14 15 16 17 18
21 22 23 24 25
30 31
THIS... THIS DATE
Maybe I should clean this up.
CRASH

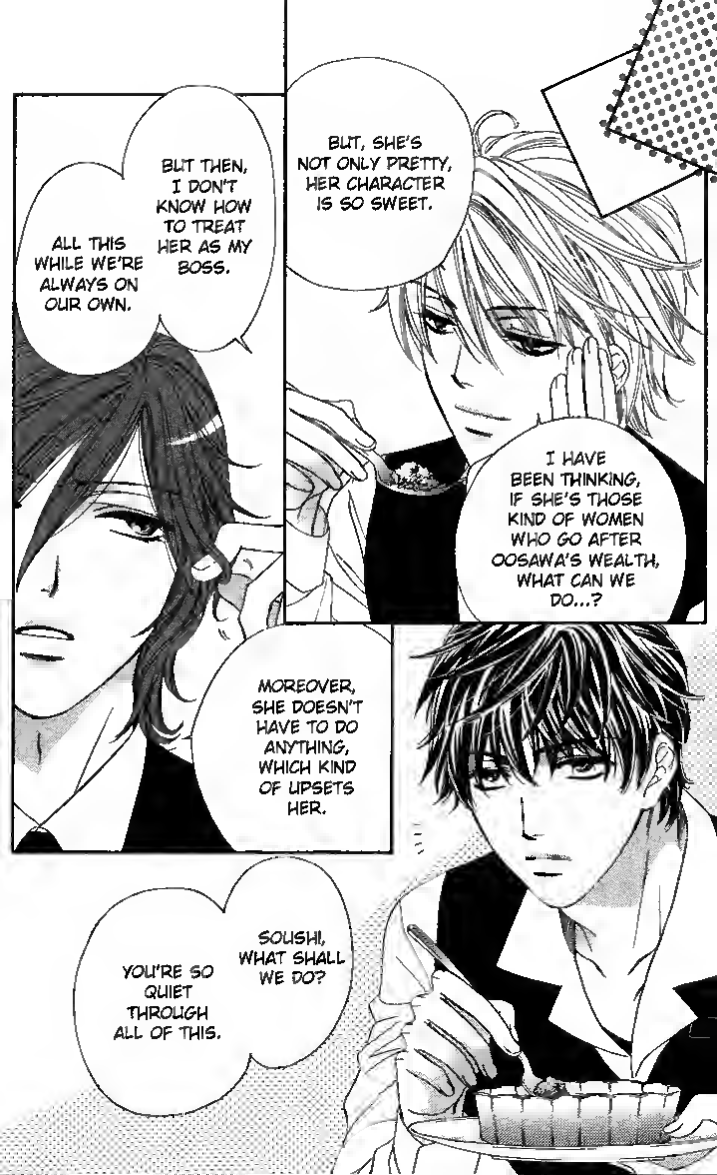
Hina
Although whe time we spent together was short, I am very happy
HUH,
BUT WHY... THE DATE WAS MARKED ON EVERY MONTH...
I'm in my old age, yet you still choose to be with me. Initially I don't want to drag you on and wish I could live longer, but.. I'm sorry..
my regret is that I had to leave you alone once again..
But you're still young
you will re-marry.

I cannot cry
I want to live on
COME ON,
HOW LONG YOU NEED TO TAKE A COFFEE STRAINER?
HERE YOU GO,
WHERE IS HINA?
SHE'S CRYING,
WHILE LOOKING AT THE CALENDAR
I GUESS SHE MUST HAVE SEEN THE DATE WE MARKED ON THE CALEN-DAR.

EXCUSE ME,
CAN I USE THE KITCHEN FOR A WHILE?
SURE, PLEASE HELP YOURSELF WITH IT
ぴゃっ
What's the hurry?
THANKS
THE KITCHEN IS VERY DIRTY
BUT,
1AM
CLO
PHEW WHAT A DAY...WE ARE CLOSED NOW...

...AH...I DIDN'T REALIZE HOW HUNGRY I WAS DURING WORK, NOW I AM HUNGRY...
THERE ARE CUP OF NOODLES IN THE OFFICE, WE CAN EAT THAT
EH? TOKATO? THAT PLACE IS NOT USED, SO IT'S DIRTY IN THERE...
TOKATO WENT IN THERE EARLIER, BUT...
WHERE'S THE BOSS?

WHAT, SHE FINISHED ONE PORTION!!
HUH? IN THE EVENING, SHE ALREADY ATE UP ALL OUR DINNER
WE DIDN'T TELL HER THE CLOSING TIME?
SHE FELL ASLEEP WHILE SHE WAITED...
Z
NO MATTER HOW I SEE IT, SHE COOKED THE SUPPER AND WAITED FOR US
IS HER APPETITE!?
HOW BIG
MMMMM


BUT, SHE'S NOT ONLY PRETTY, HER CHARACTER IS SO SWEET.
I HAVE BEEN THINKING, IF SHE'S THOSE KIND OF WOMEN WHO GO AFTER OOSAWA'S WEALTH, WHAT CAN WE DO...?
BUT THEN, I DON'T KNOW HOW TO TREAT HER AS MY BOSS.
ALL THIS WHILE WE'RE ALWAYS ON OUR OWN.
MOREOVER, SHE DOESN'T HAVE TO DO ANYTHING, WHICH KIND OF UPSETS HER.
SOUSHI, WHAT SHALL WE DO?
YOU'RE SO QUIET THROUGH ALL OF THIS.

<Blend 1 大富豪の遺産> ＊おわり＊

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RING~
HMMM, I WONDER IF THEY'RE DOING OK...
HELLO, DO YOU HAVE THE RELEASES READY? I'VE COME TO-
What!? You expect us to be done already!?
So go find some and then you'll get your releases!!
ROAR!!
You're not getting it until we get more Japanese Translators, Editors, Proofreaders and Cleaners/Typesetters!!
I guess I'll come back later for my manga...
After I find some people to help...

IT'S TRUE WE NEED SOME HELP ON OUR PROJECTS TO GET MORE RELEASES OUT!!
SO COME TO OUR FORUM AND TAKE THE TEST! AND WE'LL HAVE A PROJECT READY FOR YA!

[WATAAME SHOUJO]
A LITTLE SWEET
STOP FOR SHOUJO LOVERS

First Release
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AM NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Recently We're having some difficulty buying manga scans for our projects and would like to ask our fans if they could donate some money to help us get those scans for our current and future projects. If you can just go to our website and go to the donate page and the donate button should be there thanks!

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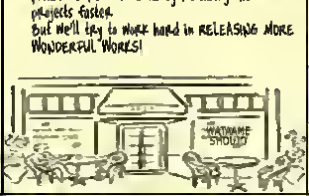

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for current and brand new projects

KONNICHIWA MINNA-SAMA!

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!

AS YOU ALL KNOW VALENTINE'S IS A DAY TO
SPREAD LOVE ALL AROUND
SO WE FROM WS WOULD LIKE TO SPREAD
OUGS TOO BY
GIVING OUT ALL OUR SPECIAL RELEASES ON THIS LOVELY
VALENTINE'S DAY!
WE HOPE YOU ENJOY
THE LOVE STORIES AS
MUCH AS WE HAVE PREPARING THEM FOR YOU.
JUST REMEMBER TO KEEP
SUPPORTING US AND ALL THE MANGAKAS
WHO'VE WORKED HARD FOR YOUR READING
PLEASURES.
WE ARE ALSO VERY HAPPY
2 ANNOUNCE THAT WE ARE LAUNCHING OUR NEW WEBSITE!
READ OVER YO

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YO GET THE LATEST UPDATES ON OUR GROUP,
PROJECTS AND RELEASES!
SEE YOU THERE!

XOXO WS

Happy Valentine Day!!
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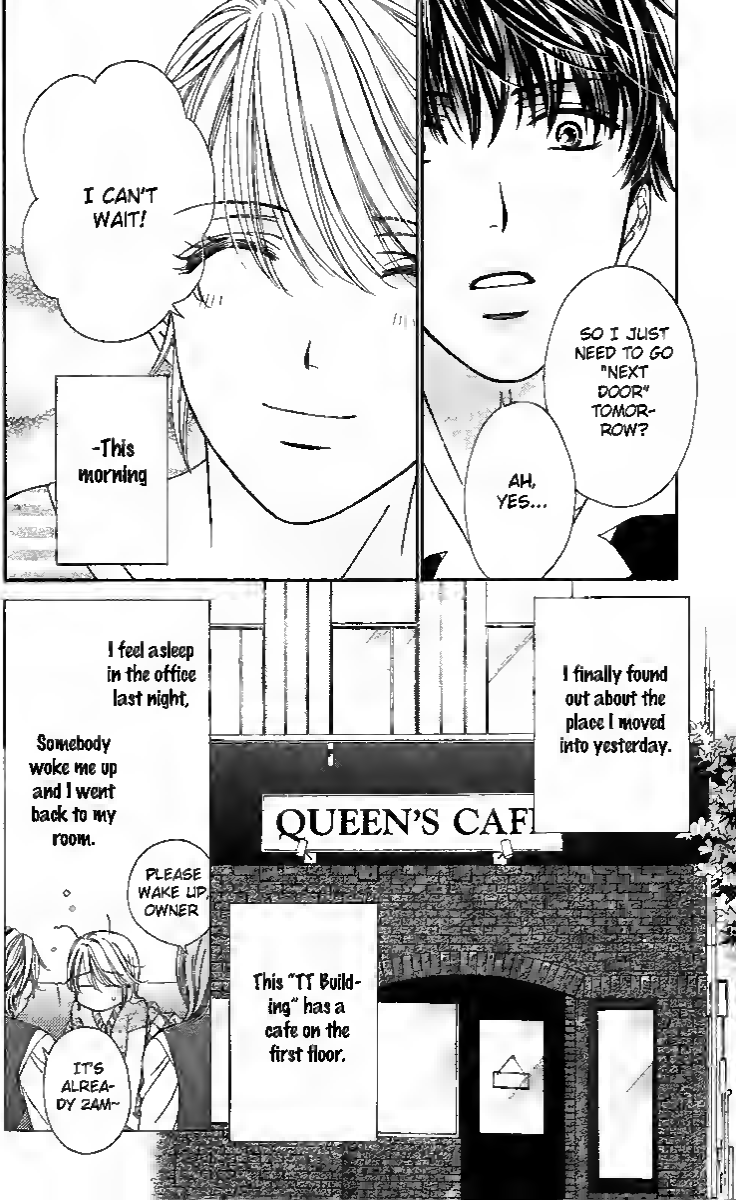
Blend 2

Lady Master's Strange Habit

Queen's
Cafe
4:00PM
YOU WANT TO ORGANIZE MY
WELCOME PARTY?
YES. WE'VE TALKED LAST NIGHT
TOMORROW'S SATURDAY, AND WE'RE NOT OPEN.
WE SHOULD DEFINITELY HAVE IT, FOR DEEPER FELLOWSHIP.
FELLOW-SHIP..

THANK YOU SO MUCH! FOR SURE!
SO WHERE IS IT?
SHOOT!
Spin
Spin
ROCK-PAPER...
SO MAKE SURE YOUR ROOM'S CLEAN BY TOMORROW.
SAWA-TARI-SAN.
YOU SHOULD BREAK THAT BAD HABIT OF PUTTING ROCK OUT FIRST, SOUSHI-CHAN.


I CAN'T WAIT!
-This morning
SO I JUST NEED TO GO "NEXT DOOR" TOMOR-ROW?
AH, YES...
I feel asleep in the office last night,
Somebody woke me up and I went back to my room.
PLEASE WAKE UP, OWNER
IT'S ALREA-DY 2AM~
This "TT Build-ing" has a cafe on the first floor.
I finally found out about the place I moved into yesterday.
QUEEN'S CAF

When I woke up in the morning
God I'm so tired...
I did everything from moving in, cleaning the kitchen, and making dinner in one day...
YAWN
AH, GOOD MORNING.
Wah!?
For some reason Sawatari-san's next door
When I went to search for the garbage dump, I saw Nanjou-san.
AH, DID YOU SLEEP WELL?

When I went to greet the manager, Yukimara-san was there
OH? IS SOME-THING WRONG? OWNER.
HUH?
YOU HAVEN'T HEARD??
NO...I WAS IN A RUSH... I'M SORRY.
WELL THEN... I'LL EXPLAIN THIS SIMPLY.
UM...I'M SO CONFUSED AS TO WHY SAWATARI-SAN AND NANJOU-SAN ARE HERE...?
AND YUKI-MARA-SAN'S THE MANAGER?
IN THIS TT BUILDING, THERE ARE 6 ROOMS TOTAL.
SOUSHI'S IN 202, YOU'RE IN 203, NOZOMU'S 302, AND I'M IN 303.
303
302
301
203
202
201
1F QUEEN'S CAFE
THE OTHER 201 AND 301 HAS PEOPLE THAT ARE NOT AFFILI-ATED WITH THE CAFE.
THERE'S A LADY SO IT'S OKAY, I'M JUST THE BACK-UP MANAGER FOR NOW....

Would be surrounded by them 24/7
SINCE IT'S LITERALLY WHERE WE WORK,
WE ALL ENDED UP STAYING HERE.
This means I...
OH.
I'VE BEEN WONDERING,
WASN'T THE KITCHEN REALLY DIRTY?
ER.. WELL YES...
Gah
What a mess
It was more like... extremely dirty...
NONE OF US KNOW HOW TO COOK.
AH, BUT YUKI STUDIED IT A LITTLE BIT ABOUT COFFEE AND TEA
TO TELL YOU THE TRUTH, NO ONE USES IT.

WELL, ANYWAYS, WE HAVE NO REAL MENU! WE EVEN GO BUY CAKES!
Ahoh...
Everyone's so lazy...
THAT'S WHY LAST NIGHT'S DINNER WAS REALLY GOOD.
WE USUALLY ONLY GET FAST FOOD AND PRE-MADE STUFF.
BUT THAT WAS BECAUSE I ATE EVERYONE'S DINNER. I FELT BAD.
REA-LLY!
THEN WE WERE REALLY LUCKY THAT YOU ATE IT IN THE FIRST PLACE!
.....
HOW CAN I PUT THIS,
IT WAS LIKE. THE TASTE OF HOME COOKING
AH...

IF IT'S LIKE THAT...
I'D BE GLAD TO MAKE SOMETHING AGAIN! IN THE FUTURE AS WELL.
So naive.
FOR REAL!? WOW I'M SO HAPPY~
For sure.
I'M GOING TO GET GROCERIES, BEFORE THEY CLOSE THEN
Complete
Mission
WHAT A MANIPULATOR.
WHY CAN'T YOU JUST ASK NICELY.
Geez
I CAN'T WAIT-- YA-Y-- WE'LL BE WAITING!
♡

WELL TRUE BUT...
WH-AT!?
YOU BOTH TOLD ME YOU DIDN'T WANT FAST FOOD ANYMORE!!
Kuni-kazu-san...
WEL-COME
WHAT SHOULD I GET?
It may be really tiny but I think I found my perfect role.
I hope that people would depend on me little by little.

Op-
ens
202
Soushi Sawatari
202
hi Sawatari
HEY COME IN...
Gyo
WHAT IS THAT TOWER...!
Are those tupper-wares?
THIS? IT'S FOOD.
IT'S OKAY MOSTLY I'LL...

What?
Mostly I'll...
OH, I BROUGHT YOUR FOOD TOO.
SINCE IT'S NEXT DOOR, IT'S MORE CONVENIENT THIS WAY... HEHE
I WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME MISS HINA TAKATO AS QUEEN'S CAFE'S NEW OWNER.
WELL THEN, I NOZOMU NANJYOU, WOULD LIKE TO MAKE A TOAST.

CHEERS!!
GULP
KA...
CHUG CHUG CHUG
PHEW!
UM .. ARE YOU STRONG WITH ALCOHOL?
DUNNO? NO ONE SAYS ANY-THING.
DRINK MORE!
NOT ONLY DOES SHE EAT A LOT, SHE'S A DRINKER TOO.
DON'T ASK FOR MUCH EVEN IF SHE'S HOT.

I SAW ON THE OFFICE CALENDAR THAT YOU CIRCLED TAKATOU'S MONTHLY DEATH ANNIVERSARY BUT WHY..?
AH...
YES ALL THREE OF US COULDN'T ATTEND THE FUNERAL
IT WAS ONLY ATTENDED BY RELATIVES, RIGHT?
YES IT WAS WRITTEN ON THE WILL...
THAT'S WHY WE CHOSE TO VISIT HIS GRAVE.
HE WAS VERY IMPORTANT TO US.
NO WONDER..
IT'S EMBARRASSING TO SAY,
BUT OUR MARRAIGE WAS ONLY ABOUT 2 YEARS.
I DIDN'T KNOW WHAT HE DID FOR WORK.

SO PLEASE TELL ME
HOW KUNIKAZU-SAN WAS AS AN OWNER HERE.
...UM .. I MIGHT BE RUDE TO ASK BUT,
UHH .. WHY DID YOU MARRY TAKATOU-SAN...?
THAT WAS HIS 2ND MARRIAGE AND IT'S HARD TO SAY BUT YOU HAD A HUGE AGE GAP...
..THAT'S...
SMILE
Because we were very compati-ble!
DU
DU

...REALLY... YOU MUST HAVE LOVED TAKATOU-SAN
Would you lie to her? Would you listen? How Kunikazu-kun and I met till now?
UM... NO HAHA...
YES, IT WAS PROBABLY THE HAPPIEST 2 YEARS OF MY ENTIRE LIFE.
THERE WOULDN'T BE ANYONE I'D LOVE MORE THAN THAT PERSON.
Hey
DOES THAT MEAN YOU WON'T HAVE A RELATIONSHIP?
THEN THAT LAWYER..

YES.
...THA-T'S...
I THINK THAT'S AMAZING...
EVEN IF SOME GUY LIKE ME SEDUCES YOU,
YOU'LL BE FAITHFUL TO YOUR LOST HUSBAND AND KEEP TO YOUR WORD!?
I LIKE THAT SPIRIT OF YOURS!

REALLY!?
THEN WILL YOU LISTEN TO ME!? ME AND KUNI-KAZU-SAN'S LOVE STORY?
I WILL! I SHALL LISTEN!
WELL THEN I WILL START WITH HOW WE MET
LET'S HEAR IT
THERE WOULDN'T BE ANYONE I'D LOVE MORE THAN THAT PERSON...
HMPH...
HEY SOU-CHAN WHY ARE YOU IN THE CORNER BY YOUR-SELF?
AH
COME HERE AND LISTEN TOGET HER!
YUKI-CHAN DO YOUR GOAT IMITA-TION!
EH
GO-AT?
YEA-AH-
GOAAHHHH

...SA-N..
NOZO-MUSA-N...
YOU CAN JUST LEAVE HIM THERE...
HEY DIDN'T HE SAY HE HAS EXAMS SOON? IS HE OKAY?
EXAMS?
I'm not done yet
Wahh he fell asleep~~~
GOOD JOB NOW SLEEP TIGHT NOZOMU!
AFTER 3 HOURS FROM THE BEGINNING OF HER STORY
WE ALL HAVE OTHER JOBS DURING THE DAY.
YES. NOZOMU IS ACTU-ALLY A STUDENT.

THEN THE REASON THE CAFE OPENS AT 6PM..
RIGHT, CAUSE WE ALL HAVE JOBS
THE QUEEN'S CAFE JUST RE-OPENED. SINCE TAKATOU-SAN BOUGHT THE UNUSED BUILDING, HE LEFT THE INTERIOR AS IS.
HE EVEN TOLD US THAT WE DON'T HAVE TO MANAGE THIS, JUST WHAT WE COULD HANDLE.
QUEEN'S CAFE
SO BASICALLY THE CAFE IS DONE VOLUNARILY WE DECIDED TO DO IT.
WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
I'LL GET MORE LIQUOR YOU CAN STILL DRINK MORE, RIGHT?
BUT THAT WAS WHAT TAKATOU-SAN WISHED SINCE YOU'RE THE OWNER NOW, YOU CAN DO WHATEVER YOU WISH
HA..
.....
Gulp

Aizawa
.....
Sip
Silence~
....
LMM.. I'VE BEEN THINKING THAT YOU'VE BEEN VERY QUIET...
NOZOMU AND YOSHIZUMI ARE BETTER AT CONVERSATIONS SO I LET THEM DO THE JOB.
WAS IT... BECAUSE I'VE TOLD YOU THAT I WAS YOUR FAN... ARE YOU UNCOMFORTABLE?
Correct
NO... IT'S NOT LIKE THAT..

I'M SURPRISED THAT YOU DON'T EVEN HOLD A RACKET ANYMORE...
THIS ROOM HAS NOTHING TENNIS-RELATED.
.....
I DIDN'T TELL NOZOMU-SAN EARLIER THAT,
I MET KUNIKAZU-SAN AT
AT SAWATARI-SAN'S TENNIS MATCH.
IT WAS TOTALLY A COINCIDENCE.
IT WAS LIKE YOU GOT US TOGETHER.
BUT THEN I WONDER IF HE KNEW THAT YOU WERE WELL-KNOWN AND RECRUITED YOU FOR THE CAFE...
SIGH
IT'S NOT A COINCIDENCE.

TAKATOU-SAN CAME TO MY GAME.
BECAUSE HE WAS MY SPONSOR.
THEN YOU WERE WELL-ACQUAINTED...?
YES.
"YOU'RE SOUSHI SAWATARI?"
I FIRST MET HIM WHEN I WAS 14. I WON A JUNIOR COMPETITION.
"I HEARD YOU'RE AMAZING, SO I CAME TODAY."

I WANT YOU TO HAVE THE BEST COACH AND PRACTICE ENVIRONMENT.
IN RETURN YOU MUST KEEP WINNING AND EVEN AT THE INTERNATIONAL LEVEL...
SO... I HAVE AN IDEA.
INSTEAD I WAS ABLE TO BECOME RICH.
I ALSO PLAYED TENNIS WHEN I WAS YOUNGER.
BUT I WAS NOT AS TALENTED AS YOU.
I'M NOT INTERESTED IN YOUR DREAM NOR SOME RICH MAN'S ACTIVITY.
BUT I'LL ACCEPT.
I HAVE A REASON TO SUCCEED IN TENNIS.
...BUT,
EVEN IF MY PROFESSIONAL CAREER ENDED FROM AN INJURY...

TAKATOU-SAN DIDN'T WALK AWAY FROM ME.
YOU SHOULD KNOW THE REASON FOR THAT AS WELL.
I AM INDEBTED TO HIM EVEN IF I THANK HIM ENOUGH.
...I SEE.
THAT'S HOW IT IS...
THEN THE SAWATARI I BECAME A FAN FOR
WAS CREATED BY KUIKAZU-SAN.

TAKATOU-SAN DIDN'T WALK AWAY FROM ME.
YOU SHOULD KNOW THE REASON FOR THAT AS WELL.
I AM INDEBTED TO HIM EVEN IF I THANK HIM ENOUGH.
THAT'S HOW IT IS...
..I SEE.
THEN THE SAWATARI I BECAME A FAN FOR
WAS CREATED BY KUIKAZU-SAN.

WHAT A BIZZARE CHOICE.
ANYWAYS,
SFX: Smile
I LIKE THEM~
EVERYONE'S SO KIND.
SO LOST.
I'VE NEVER BEEN TO A GET-TOGETHER THAT WAS THIS FUN~
Heh
SINCE I GOT MARRIED IN MY EARLY 20'S I COULDN'T EXPERIENCE THIS
HAH... IS THAT SO...
LIKE A FAMILY...
I'M SO JEALOUS...

ZZZ
DON'T FALL ASLEEP IN A SECOND.
You're heavy...
I'LL GO GET A BLANKET
GRAB
!?
I THINK SHE WAS ALL ALONE...
FAMILY. .HUH..

Sfx Bam
Quite heavy.
OW!!
.....
UMMM...
OWNER PLEASE DON'T PLAY AROUND LIKE THIS.....?
SFX: Glazed

HEY,
HOLD IT.
WAIT! A MINUTE AGO,
AM I BEING TEASED...
WHAT IS GOING ON?
SHE SAID SHE COULDN'T LOVE SOMEONE ANYMORE.
IS SHE DESPERATE?
EHHHHH!?

UM... OWNER...
WE CAN'T GO ANY FARTHER...
.... ..MM..
SHE'S STICKING HER TONGUE INTO ME...
She's hella good!!
WAIT... MM...
Shiiiiii
KUNIKAZU-SAN...
HMM?

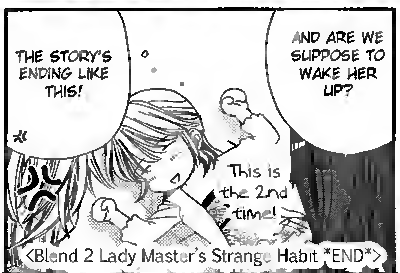
HEY SOU-CHAN!
YOU SHOULDN'T ATTACK A LADY!!!
DO I LOOK LIKE I'M THE ONE INSTIGAT-ING THIS!
Really!!
I'M BA-
-OK...
YOSHIZUMI!!
Totally lost.

RUN YOSHI-ZUMI!!!
YUKI-CHAN!
YOZOMU DON'T JUST STAND THERE AND HELP!!
A few minutes later
WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT.
Shock!!
TRUE BUT
You're actually lucky
EHH- WHY WAS I THE ONLY ONE SHE DIDN'T ATTACK.
Snore
AGREED.
WE WILL NEVER ALLOW HER TO DRINK A LOT OF ALCOHOL EVER AGAIN
WELL . SHE'S A GLUTTON, A DRINKER, AND SHE CAUSES TROUBLE

WAS IT THAT AFFECTING...?
WHERE ARE YOU GOING SOUSHI?
TO THE ROOF...
I NEED FRESH AIR...
...I MUST SAY
SHE IS THE OPPOSITE OF HER LOOKS.
sigh
...YUKI-CHAN?
BUT STILL WHY NOT ME...

A LITTLE TOO MUCH...?
ISN'T THIS
TAKATOU-SAN...
I'm too full uhu-huhu
AHH SHIT! DAMN!
SO TIRING, THAT OWNER.

...WHAT BULL-SHIT.....!
"THERE WOULDN'T BE ANYONE I'D LOVE MORE THAN THAT PERSON."
EVEN IF IT WAS A MISTAKE YOU SHOULDN'T KISS ANOTHER MANNNNNNN
I GOT TURNED ON DAMN ITTTT-!!!!
(ECHO)



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ALL THEY HAVE TO DO IS TAKE A TEST, SEND IT TO THE CO-HEAD OF THE DESIRED POSITION,
THEN THEY WILL BE CONTACTED BY THE ADMIN AND GIVEN WORK TO DO.
YOU SEE WE NEED JAPANESE TRANSL-ATORS,
AND EDITORS, TO GET MORE RELEASES OUT.
IF YOU CAN GET MORE EDITORS THAN WE WON'T BE OVERWORKED!
UNTIL THEN YOU, ANGEL, AND I WILL HAVE TO MAKE UP!!
IF WE CAN GET MORE HELP THAN WE CAN WORK ON MORE PROJECTS.
SO KYFNI WILL YOU GO AND RECRUIT PEOPLE?
I DON'T SEE WHY I HAVE TO DO IT. JUST SEND MIRA OR SOMEONE ELSE.
I just finished 3 chapters
The cute guy is right! we need more help to get more releases! And to save Kyfni~ so head to our forum and apply~
ビリリリ
WHAT!?!?
To Be Continued

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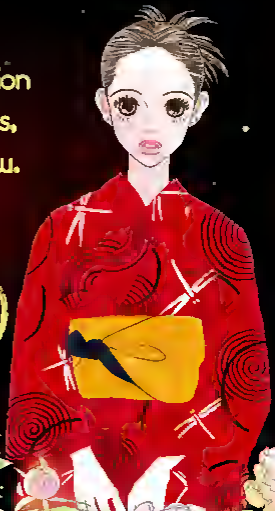
From the bottom of our hearts,
ARIGATOU GOZAIMASU!!



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is the beginning of Welcome Hour...

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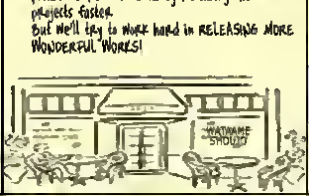

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Stage 3

A Poindexter's Melancholy

EEN'S CAF
GLOOMY
I CAN'T BELIEVE...
I DID SUCH A THING TWICE IN A ROW...
I'M EXTREMELY SORRY..
ANYWAY, WHAT IS THIS?
AH! THIS IS..
I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO IF YOU KEEP APOLOGIZING EVERYTIME WE MEET...
NO, PLEASE DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT ANYMORE...

I WAS THINKING OF BAKING A CAKE
I HEARD YOU GUYS BUY CAKE FROM A STORE,
SO I THOUGHT THAT AT LEAST THE CAKE SHOULD BE ORIGINAL.
GIRLS ABSOLUTELY LOVE SWEETS.
AND I'M NOT A PROFESSIONAL SO I'D HAVE TO STUDY...
.....
AND ALSO
IF THIS WORKS OUT
WE'LL MAKE MONEY AND YOUR SALARIES WOULD GO UP WITH IT.
Salary increase...
We'll make money
LUA YUKI-CHAN!!

I SEE, I SEE!
WHAT A WONDERFUL IDEA I'LL HELP~
WHY DOES HIS ATTITUDE CHANGE WHEN MONEY'S INVOLVED
OWNER! OH MY GOD!!
Ba
M
AH, SOUSHI
WELCOME HOME
WHAT'S THE MATTER SAWATARI-SAN YOU'RE OUT OF BREATH
y-laundry -y
?
YOUR LAUNDRY!! LINGERIE!!
Aren't you embarrassed!
PLEASE DON'T LEAVE IT HANGING ON THE BALCONY!!

WELL I DO
THANK YOU VERY MUCH!!!
Are you insane?!
Gahhh
I DON'T MIND IT.
SINCE THERE'S A LADY IN ROOM 201, I DIDN'T HANG MY THINGS OUTSIDE,
BUT.. YOU..!
Heck is happening?
What the
HE'S ACTING STRANGE TOWARDS THE OWNER..
SHOCKED
SOU-CHAN'S PRIDE WAS HURT SINCE THEN.
NO I WAS TALKING TO SAWATARI-SAN THEN..
EH? YOU DON'T REMEMBER ANYTHING?
BECAUSE THAT NIGHT
WELL IT'S NOT LIKE I DON'T UNDER-STAND.
Swi

DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT...
HE'S JUST PISSED OFF.
OWNER!
LETS GO TO THE KITCHEN ALREADY
PISSED OFF...!
WHA...
IT'S NOT LIKE HIS CLINGYNESS IS GOING TO CHANGE ANYTHING.
BUT SHE TOLD US SHE WON'T DATE [illegible] MORE.
THAT'S WHY
HE WAS SAYING SHE WAS CUTE...
WHY IS NOZOMU ALL OVER THE OWNER?

THEY WOULD NEVER ACTUALLY DATE, SO HE'S RELIEVED AND ALL OVER HER.

IF NOT, HE WOULD NEVER BE SO CLOSE WITH ANOTHER PERSON.

Steps Out
HUH?
YUKI-MARA-SAN!
OWNER, WHAT'S THE MATTER?
THIS
I WAS WONDERING IF YOU GUYS WOULD TASTE IT FOR ME
LAST TIME, IT WASN'T MY BEST
AND I THINK IT'S A SUCCESS THIS TIME
ISN'T THAT ROOM 302 NOZOMU-SAN'S? WHY DID YOU COME OUT FROM THERE?
AH... WELL... ERM.

TODAY HE CALLED ME SAYING HE FORGOT A REPORT,
SO I OPENED THE DOOR AND GOT IT FOR HIM.
AND NOW I HAVE TO GO THE UNI-VERSITY.
What a bore...
LIM,
I WOULD BE GLAD TO DELIVER IT TO HIM
EH?
I'M KINDA BORED...

GO NORTH AFTER HONGOU STREET...
"I'M SORRY OWNER."
Thank you for the cake
"I'M REALLY BUSY, SO THANK YOU."
HM?
THERE'S A LOT OF STUDENT-LIKE PEOPLE.
I'M GUESSING IT'S ONE OF THOSE BUILD-INGS...
UHH ...

BA
Toudai
m
OWNER!
...ARE YOU SERIOUS—.
EH... WHY ARE YOU HERE?

HERE.
YUKI-MARA-SAN WAS BUSY
SO I CAME INSTEAD.
PLEASE DON'T FORGET IMPORTANT ITEMS.
AH... THANKS.
ARE VISITORS ALLOWED ON CAMPUS?
UH, I DON'T THINK IT'S A PROBLEM.
WAS THERE ANYTHING INTEREST-ING?

IF I CAN...
BUT IT WASN'T FULFILLED
SINCE I'M ALREADY MARRIED.
I DREAMED OF GOING TO COLLEGE
UNIVERSITIES... THEY DON'T REALLY HAVE AGE LIMITS.
.....
YOU'RE ONLY 23, RIGHT?
WELL I DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS TOUDAI...
WHAT'S YOUR MAJOR?
I'M MAJORING IN LAW.
LITERATURE 1.
THAT'S TRUE!
YOU STILL HAVE A CHANCE.

TRANSCRIBER NOTES: "TOUDAI" IS SHORT FOR TOKYO DAIGAKU IN ENGLISH: TOKYO UNIVERSITY. IT IS THE MOST DISTINGUISHED UNIVERSITY IN JAPAN AND RANKS HIGH AS A WORLDWIDE EDUCATION INSTITUTE.

AND I WILL TAKE CONTROL IN THE BACK.
THAT'S MY DREAM!
CONGRESSMEN, AND THE PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND FOR MONEY
I WOULD WORK WITH THE 3RD AND 4TH GENERATION RICH DAUGTHERS AND SONS THAT DON'T KNOW A THING,
HE
HE
HE
LAW?
BUT I'M NOT GOING TO A LAW SCHOOL AFTER COLLEGE.
I'M GOING TO TAKE A TEST AND WORK FOR THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.
A BUREAUCRAT?
YES
JUST WAIT, YOU HELPLESS CITIZENS
citizen
BUT WOULDN'T IT BE FASTER TO BE A PRIME MINISTER?
YOU'RE MESSING ME UP!
NANJOU-!
GEEZ! SOMEONE LIKE A PRIME MINISTER.
RIP

YEAH.. WHAT DO YOU WANT?
CAN I BORROW YOUR NOTES?
MID-TERMS ARE COMING UP AND I COULDN'T MAKE IT TO CLASS FOR A MONTH.
SORRY TO DISTURB BUT
NANJOU, YOU TOOK OYAMADA'S CIVIL LAW RIGHT?
I ASKED OTHERS BUT
THEY ALL TOLD ME THAT YOU'RE THE ONE WITH THE BEST NOTES
SORRY BUT ASK SOMEONE ELSE.
EH?
NOZOMU-SAN...?
WAIT... OF COURSE I'LL THANK YOU LATER.
I DIDN'T TAKE NOTES TO LET SLACKERS BORROW IT.
LET'S GO OWNER.
THEN LET ME SAY THIS

IT'S A BOTHER!
WHY DO I HAVE TO BRING IT FROM MY HOUSE JUST FOR YOU?
AH ..
SORRY
BUSY
BUSY
CAFETERIA
ARE YOU IN A FIGHT.. WITH THE PERSON WE JUST MET?
NO?
I'M NOT GOOD AT THAT.
THEN YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO SAY IT SO HARSHLY

I HATE BEING USED BY OTHERS,
ANYTHING LIKE THAT.
but I like using others
USED? WELL, IT MAY JUST BE A FAVOR.
...ARE YOU DONE EATING?

AH... YES
ONLY THREE BOWLS? THAT'S RARE!
QUEEN'S CA
QUEEN'S CAFE
SFX: RING x2
カラン
カラン
WELCOME!
TWO? WELL THEN, THIS WAY PLEASE

NOZOMU-SAN'S ATTITUDE IS BOTHERING ME SINCE LUNCHTIME.
HE'S SO NICE TO THE CUSTOMERS WELL DUH!
I'VE NEVER SEEN HIM LIKE THAT
I THOUGHT HE WAS A GENTLEMEN BUT... I GUESS NOT
IS HE AN EXTREME GUY-HATER?!
NO NO HE GETS ALONG WELL WITH THE OTHER TWO
SHE'S WATCHING HIM
.....
YUP! SHE'S WATCHING HIM A LOT.

WHAT'S THAT SUPPOSED TO MEAN? I THOUGHT SHE SAID SHE'S NOT GOING TO DATE ANYMORE
DON'T ASK ME.
EARLIER THEY WENT ON A DATE AT THE UNIVERSITY...
CLANK CLANK
D.... DATE?!
THAT'S ABSURD... WHAT IS NOZOMU SAYING?
I DON'T KNOW SO DON'T ASK
OWNER, WOULD YOU LIKE SOME TEA?
HEY YUKIMARA-SAN
HAH ..
AND WHY DID HE BECOME A WAITER HERE?
Someone who wants to be a Lawyer
WHAT TYPE OF A PERSON IS NOZOMU-SAN?

USA
WHY ARE YOU ASKING ME?
ORDER! ONE MOCHA, ONE KILIMANJARO!*
IF YOU WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT ME,
YOU SHOULD ASK THE PERSON DIRECTLY.
QCER NOTES KILIMANJARO IS A TYPE OF AFRICAN COFFEE BEAN FOUND IN TANZANIA
I'M NOT CONVINCED! I AM NOT CONVINCED!
SHUT UP ALREADY.
GRINS
I WON'T RUN AWAY.

DING DONG
QUEEN'S CAFE OFF DAY
YES?
202
SAWATARI
THIS IS TAKATOU. HELLO!
OWNER?
IS SOMETHING WRONG?
I BROUGHT CAKE FOR YOU TO TASTE
I COULDN'T HAND IT YESTERDAY.
AH WELL.. THANKS...

THIS? IT'S NOZOMU-SAN'S
I ALREADY GAVE ONE YESTERDAY TO YUKIMARA-SAN
..UMMM THAT..
WHO'S THAT FOR..?
I DON'T KNOW IF HE'S THERE RIGHT NOW...
.....
QCER NOTES THE BUBBLE BELOW IS INTENTIONALLY LEFT BLANK
WHOA...
DING
302
NANJOU
DO-NG
I'M COMING! WHAT DO YOU...
OPENS

I BROUGHT CAKE FOR TASTING
ALSO... YOU TOLD ME TO ASK YOU DIRECTLY
WHY ARE YOU SO BUGGED BY THAT ONE INCIDENT?
COME IN.
IT'S REALLY MESSY THOUGH.
EVERYONE HAS A MOMENT WHEN THEY'RE MEAN TO OTHERS

I DON'T GET IT
...I GUESS SO
I THINK I'M TOO WORRIED ABOUT IT TOO.
BUT NOZOMU-SAN WAS SO KIND TO ME WHEN I WAS NEW HERE SO THAT'S PROBABLY WHY.
IS IT SILLY TO CARE?

AM I THE STRANGE ONE TO THINK LIKE THAT?
WHAT-EVER IT IS...
WHEN SOMEONE ASKS FOR HELP,
I DON'T THINK YOU SHOULD TURN IT ALL DOWN SO EASILY.
...AND?
WHAT DO YOU WANT ME TO DO?

SEE BLUR
UMM WELL NOT EVERY-THING AND
UM ..?
DO WHAT EVERYONE ASKS ME TO DO NO MATTER WHAT IT IS
AND LIVE LIKE THAT FOREVER?
NO...
HUH? WHAT?!
TALK CLEARLY!
I HAVE A HUGE HEADACHE...
GEEZ OWNER!
IT'S ONLY BEEN DAYS SINCE WE FIRST MET.
IT SOUNDS SO LOUD IN MY BRAIN
YOU ASKED IF IT WAS WEIRD TO CARE SO MUCH
YES IT IS

WHY IS THAT?
YOU'RE SO INTERESTED IN ME.
I CANT BREATHE
HAHH
I AM... EVERY-ONE'S ...OWNER THAT'S WHY.
HAHH
I WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT EVERYONE.
WHAT'S THAT SUPPOSED TO MEAN...
PUSH
WHAT? ARE YOU SURE IT'S ONLY THAT?!

TO TELL YOU THE TRUTH I'VE BEEN WONDERING
YOU HAVE SO MUCH FAITH IN THE DECEASED TAKATOU-SAN
LET'S SAY YOU GOT PUSHED DOWN BY A HOT GUY LIKE ME,
ARE YOU SERIOUSLY THINKING THAT YOU CAN LIVE BY YOURSELF?
DON'T YOU FEEL ANYTHING?

I'M SORRY OWNER THAT I'M SAYING THIS, BUT
THESE ARE MY TRUE FEELINGS.
SFX: DING DO-NG (DOORBELL RINGING)

SFX: OPENS
OKAY, OKAY! WHAT IS IT ALREADY?!
DING DONG
DING DONG
DING DONG
DING DONG
DING DONG
AH... EH..?
SOU-CHAN...?
I'M BRINGING BACK THE PLATE...
FROM THE CAKE...
WHY DO YOU COME TO MY ROOM?
OWNER'S HERE RIGHT?
OH? SAWATARI -SAN..

SNIFF
HOW WAS THE CAKE...
DID...

DID YOU GET DUMPED?!
?

THAT'S WHY I WAS SORT OF PISSED!
I put some in the tea. That's it!
...AT-TACK?
I WAS THE ONLY ONE OWNER DIDN'T ATTACK!!
BECAUSE! LAST TIME,
?
BRANDY ..?
I DIDN'T THINK IT WOULD...
SOU-CHAN ..?
DO YOU WANT TO EXPERIENCE HELL AGAIN!!
H.. HELL?!
SHOCKED
SORRY
YOU .. I TOLD YOU TO NOT SERVE OWNER ANY ALCOHOL...!

AHHH... NO YOU DON'T H VE TO KNOW.
DID I DO SOMETHING THAT NIGHT?!
WHAT HAPPENED?!
did something violent and horrible.
HEY OWNER
BECAUSE I THINK EVERYONE HAS SOMETHING THEY DON'T WANT TO SHARE.
I'M SORRY FOR PULLING A PRANK ON YOU ..
I'M SORRY.
I THINK THAT IT'S OKAY
FOR YOU TO NOT KNOW SOME THINGS

KUNI-KAZU-SAN
.....
DID I RUSH THINGS?
I DIDN'T KNOW THAT BEING NICE TO SOMEONE AND BECOMING FRIENDLY WITH SOMEONE ARE COMPLETELY TWO DIFFERENT THINGS.
I THOUGHT I KNEW...
IT'S SO SWEET.

AH
I SHOULD HAVE ASKED HER.
USUALLY YOU CAN GET FIRED IF SOMETHING LIKE THAT HAPPENED TO THE OWNER.
CLACK
CLACK
IT'S AN EMPLOYEE THAT KUNIKAZU-SAN CHOSE AND I RESPECT THAT.....
WHAT WAS SHE THINKING?!
IF I TELL HER THAT I REALLY NEED HER,
I WONDER HOW SHE WOULD REACT.
SHE'S TOO EASY-GOING
AND SO VULNERABLE.
< Friend's A Pawnbroker's Melancholy > * END *

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"Well I Do' Thank You Very Much!!' Are you insane?!"

Bwhahaha! For that alone, my heart now belongs to Sou-chan <3

~apolfriend7yrytch~

SPC Beach
YOU'RE TELLING ME COVENANT OF DARKNESS STILL NEEDS..
NO WAY...
EDITORS
JAPANESE TRANSLATORS
... AND OTHER STAFF?!!
IT'S TRUE!!!
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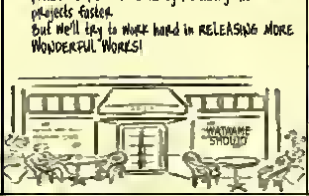

4 新天地の聖夜

New World's Christmas Night

TAKATOU FAMILY TOMB
KUNI-KAZU SAN
A COUPLE OF MONTHS HAVE PASSED AT THE CAFE.
I AM USED TO THE LIFE THERE NOW AND AM CURRENTLY WORKING WITH EVERYONE ELSE.
THREE OF YOUR ACQUAIN-TANCES CAME AS WELL.
FOR TODAY'S MONTHLY ANNIVER-SARY

ANY-WAYS
TA-KA-TOU
EVEN IF IT'S ONLY A MONTHLY ANNIVERSARY WHY IS IT SO LONESOME?
THIS MAN SHOULD HAVE AFFECTED MANY PEOPLE.
IT'S NOT THAT THEY WEREN'T ON GOOD TERMS, BUT
NO ONE WAS ABLE TO TRUST HIM, I GUESS.
...I DON'T THINK HIS RELATIVES WOULD COME.
NOT EVERY-THING'S GREAT FOR THE RICH TOO, HUH?!
I WAS THINKING SAWATARI-SAN, DON'T YOU HAVE LOTS OF PRIZE MONEY FROM WHEN YOU WERE AN ATHLETE?
AH... UMM YEAH!
WHAT HAPPENED TO IT?
I DON'T WANT TO BE RUDE, BUT YOU DON'T LOOK TOO RICH.
HAHA-HAHA
MISS HINA!
mind your own business

TOUDOU-SAN!!
...AND EVERYONE ELSE.
I THOUGHT THAT YOU'D BE HERE TODAY
BUT NOT WITH EVERYONE.
TOUDOU-SAN... THANK YOU SO MUCH.
shall we dean?
we shall
DIDN'T WE JUST SEE EACH OTHER?
IT DOESN'T FEEL LIKE THAT TO ME...
LONG TIME NO SEE, HINA-SAN.

ONCE WHEN I WAS SHOPPING,
ONCE AT THE BUS STOP BY THE CAFE,
AND ONCE AT THE STATION..
NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT, WE'VE BEEN SEEING EACH OTHER A LOT!
YES
COINCIDENCE IS WONDERFUL.
That's a stalker, Owner!!
CHANGING THE SUBJECT
CHRISTMAS IS AROUND THE CORNER
OH YES
DO YOU ALREADY HAVE PLANS, HINA-SAN?
UMMM...
WE'RE ACTUALLY HAVING A PARTY.

OH!
TOUDOU-SAN, WHY DON'T YOU COME AS WELL?!
ME?
I never heard of this!
PARTY?
YES, AT THE CAFE WITH EVERYONE
Is that true?
NOT AT ALL! IT'S MORE FUN WITH MORE PEOPLE.
BUT SHOULDN'T OUTSIDERS STAY OUT OF THINGS LIKE THAT?
KUNIKAZU-SAN
IT'S MY FIRST CHRISTMAS WITHOUT YOU, BUT
BUT THEY'LL BE THERE AS WELL...
I'LL BE LOOKING FOWARD TO CHRISTMAS EVE!
...WELL THEN I WOULD LOVE TO.

EN'S CAFE
CHRIST-
MAS
EVE
6:30 PM
THANKS TO YOU
I DON'T HAVE
TO BE ALONE
QUEEN'S
CAFE
I WONDER
IF
CHRISTMAS
WOULD BE
THIS YEAR...
カラン
GOOD
EVENING!
THANK YOU
FOR HAVING
SFX: CLANK
SFX: BUSTLE x4
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ザワ
ガヤ
ME...

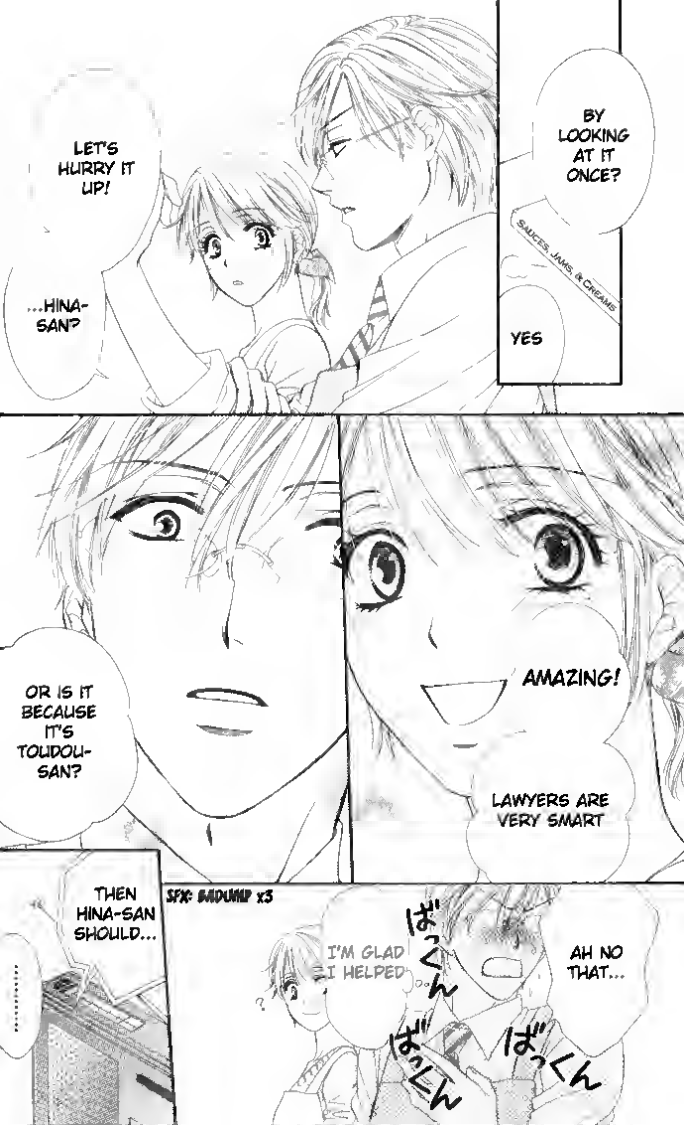
BUSTLE
BUSTLE
EH IT'S OPEN?!
WELCOME, TOUDOU-SAN!
YUKI-MURA-SAN
WHAT IS THE MEANING OF THIS...?!
YES WELL...
BUT SHE SAID THE PARTY'S ON CHRIST-MAS EVE?
AH...
PLEASE COME THIS WAY!
IT'S FROM MIDNIGHT?!
YES. WE CAN'T CLOSE THE SHOP ON CHRISTMAS
I GUESS THE OWNER DIDN'T TELL YOU ANYTHING.
EVEN IF IT'S CHRISTMAS EVE, THE PARTY'S AT 1 AM.
WHA...!

AH!
GOOD EVENING TOUDOU-SAN.
I'M LEAVING!! I HAVE WORK TO DO.
THE OWNER'S IN THE KITCHEN.
LUM HINA-SAN...
I'M SORRY IT'S SO BUSY.
THE CAKE'S SELLING FASTER THAN EXPECTED.
I'M ABOUT TO RUN OUT OF INGREDIENTS~
WHEN CAN WE STOP?
AH...

I'm taking your coat and flowers.
WHAT IF THIS WAS HER ORIGINAL PLAN?
I'M SORRY!! BUT THANK YOU!!
IMPOSSIBLE! THE OWNER'S ON THE BLONDE SIDE.
TOUDOU-SAN
YES...
SFX: THUMP
IF YOU CAN MAKE MERINGUES LIKE THIS
YES!
TOU-DOU-SAN?

I'M BAKING A CAKE FOR YOU
JUST WAIT.
I'M SORRY- I MESSED UP-
HA HA HA HA
YOU'RE SO CUTE, HINA-SAN!
THEN I'LL DO THIS .. I'LL LEAVE THAT TO YOU.
?
← Blood
HINA-SAN?!
SAUCES JAMS AND CREAMS
NEXT.
I'M DONE HINA-SAN.
CAH

I HAVEN'T MEMORIZED EVERYTHING YET...
WHAT? IN THIS STATE...?!
WHA~ WHY ARE YOU READING A BOOK AT A TIME LIKE THIS...!!
IT'S A CAKE BOOK.
LET ME SEE!
SAUCES JAMS AND CREAMS
AH... HERE...
CLICK CLICK CLICK
SAUCES JAMS AND CREAMS
CLICK CLICK CLICK
SAUCES JAMS AND CREAMS
IT'S MEMORIZED.
IT'S ALL UNDER CONTROL NOW.
CLOSE
SAUCES JAMS AND CREAMS


LET'S HURRY IT UP!
...HINA-SAN?
BY LOOKING AT IT ONCE?
SAUCES, JAMS, & CREAMS
YES
OR IS IT BECAUSE IT'S TOUDOU-SAN?
AMAZING!
LAWYERS ARE VERY SMART
THEN HINA-SAN SHOULD...
.....
SFX: BADUMP x3
I'M GLAD I HELPED
AH NO THAT...
ばっくん
ばっくん
ばっくん

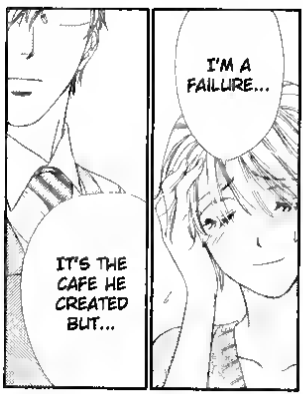
HE GOT PRAISED!!
YOU TWO SHOULD WORK!! YOU KNOW THERE'S NOT ENOUGH PEOPLE!!!
YEAH! NOT BAD LAWYER~
WHY DON'T YOU JUST LISTEN, SOU-CHAN?
SINCE YOU'RE SO ANNOYED BY IT.
SHUT UP! IT'S A GOOD PART RIGHT NOW.
YOU GUYS ARE SHALLOW IN THE FIRST PLACE!
WHERE DID YOU GET A WIRETAP?!
AKIBA* BECAUSE WE WERE INTERESTED
IDI...
YOU WOULDN'T COME BARGING INTO MY ROOM JUST TO RETURN A PLATE TO HER.

Qcer Notes: AKIBA is short for AKIHABARA which is known as the Electronics Town in Japan.

AH! COMING~
Excuse me! I would like to order.
DON'T TELL HIM, IDIOT!!
YEAH! WHERE TO START~
EH I MISS THAT?
RUN
RUN
IT'S NOT LIKE I DON'T UNDER-STAND
WHY SOU-CHAN'S SO INTER-ESTED IN THE OWNER
Sorry! It's so busy
Are you three fighting?!
ARE YOU USED TO LIFE HERE?
IT'S LIKE HE'S SEEING A DOUBLE OF HIMSELF IN HER.

Practically doing everything
YES
ARE YOU GETTING ALONG WITH THE THREE?
UMMM... I WOULD SAY...
YES I GUESS...
DID SOMETHING HAPPEN WITH THEM?
LIKE THEY'DE BITTER TO YOU .
EH?!
NO!
NOTHING I IKE THAT~
THEY'RE VERY CONSIDERATE,
BUT THAT'S PROBABLY BECAUSE I'M THE OWNER AND TAKATOU'S WIDOW.

I SOMETIMES FEEL THERE'S A WALL BETWEEN US.
LIKE WE'RE NOT TRUE FRIENDS~
I DON'T REALLY KNOW THEM EITHER.
I DON'T.... I DON'T REALLY KNOW HOW TO CONVERSE WITH THEM.


I'M A FAILURE...
IT'S THE CAFE HE CREATED BUT...

HINA-SAN

IF YOU FEEL DISTRESSED STAYING HERE AND ARE
LONELY...
ANYTIME
ACTUALLY, AT THIS SECOND
SFX: DI-NG
I WOULD TAKE YOU.

THE BAKING'S DONE!
WAH- IT'S PERFECT!
THANK YOU TOUDOU-SAN!!
.....
OH AND ABOUT OUR PREVIOUS DISCUS-SION,
SAWATARI-SAN
IS USUALLY DIFFERENT FROM THE OTHER TWO.
HE'S THE ONLY ONE THAT DOESN'T SEE ME AS AN OWNER...
I DON'T FEEL A WALL BETWEEN US.
I WONDER WHY...
HOT!

SPK GRRRRR
ゴゴゴゴゴゴゴ
YOU SLACKERS!!
I'M AT MY LIMIT YOU KNOW!
IF IT WEREN'T FOR TAKATOU-SAN'S REQUEST~
...WE'RE BOTH UNSURE HOW TO TREAT YOU.
DON'T SAY THAT~
EH
YOU TOTALLY MISSED THE GOOD PART.
SOUSHI,
WE SHALL WORK THEN~
THAT LAWYER CONFESSED TO THE OWNER?!
DON'T... DON'T TELL ME...!

THANK YOU SO~~~~~~ MUCH
EVERY-ONE
FOR THE HARD
SFX: EXHAUSTED
ぐた～～～
WORK.....
I DIDN'T THINK THAT CHRISTMAS EVE WOULD BE THIS BUSY...
GOOD WORK TODAY
HINA-SAN
AND MERRY CHRISTMAS!

*Cher Notes: MOET & CHANDON is the brand of a famous French Champagne.

Thank you
HERE YOU GO
OKAY THEN
GOOD WORK EVERYONE AND
I brought it for Hina-san
WHAT IS THIS...!
WELL THEN LET'S START THE PARTY~
MERRY CHRISTMAS!!
AHH! IF IT WAS JUST HINA-SAN AND ME..
CLINK

Sweet.
WE'RE DRINKING THIS RIGHT NOW.
UM.... WHERE'S THE MOET ET CHANDON THAT I BROUGHT...?
It's so sweet!
NO THIS IS CHAM
THIS IS CHAMPAGNE.
A Mess~
THIS CAKE BUT~
MY CHRIST-MAS PRESENT IS
What the Hell!

QCer Notes: BUCHE DE NOEL is a log-shaped cake often made during Yuletide season in some European countries.
HOW WONDERFUL
HINA-SAN!!
UHH~... WELL WHAT IS THIS CRUMBLED OBJECT...
Horrible
Suppo-sedly a Buche de Noel
I TRIED TO MAKE A "BUCHE DE NOEL"* BUT THIS WAS THE BEST I COULD DO...
IT'S MORE LIKE AN EXPERIMENT THAN A PRESENT.
I TRIED TO MAKE IT BUT IT WAS HARD TO ROLL.
I COULD EAT ANYTHING YOU MAKE WITH PLEASURE.
HE SEEMS SO FAKE.
AND?
IT'S EDIBLE... IT JUST LOOKS REALLY BAD~...

DON'T TELL ME YOU FORGOT TO GET ANYTHING FOR THE OWNER!
WHAT ABOUT YOU THREE?
OF COUR-SE NOT!
IT'S RIGHT HERE.
I DON'T KNOW IF YOU'D LIKE IT BUT
MAY I OPEN IT HERE?
It's big!
YES, OF COURSE.

.....!
AH! OH MY! THERE'S EVEN A BATTER FOR MADE-LEINES!
THIS... IT'S TO MAKE A CAKE...?!
Weh a powder shaker
SHAKE
SHAKE
ARE YOU SURPRISED? THEY'RE ALL HIGH-QUALITY.
WE THOUGHT THAT SINCE YOU ONLY USE YOUR REGULAR TOOLS...
WAH- AN APRON
HOLD ON A MOMENT!
THIS IS YOUR PRESENT?
YES.

I KNOW WHAT YOU'D LIKE TO SAY BUT
WE COULDN'T THINK OF ANYTHING ELSE.
THIS IS OUR TRUE FEELINGS.
EVER SINCE OWNER MADE CAKE FOR US,
WE HAD REGULAR CUSTOMERS WHO COME JUST FOR THE CAKE.
WE ARE VERY GRATEFUL FOR OWNER.
AND THIS...
STUFF FOR HINA-SAN
NO, TOUDOU-SAN

I AM MORE THAN HAPPY!
I'LL KEEP TRYING MY BEST...
I'LL USE THEM WITH CARE.

KUNI-KAZU-SAN,
THIS CHRIS-MAS IS VERY FUN.
THEN I'LL CUT THE CAKE,
SINCE WE HAVE TOUDOU-SAN'S LIQUOR
THAT IS NOT CHAM-PAGNE!
EVEN THOUGH YOU'RE NOT HERE, THE PEOPLE AT YOUR PLACE TAKE CARE OF ME SO WELL...
QUEEN'S CAFE
QUEEN'S CAFE
CLICK
HMM...

THE LAST TRAIN HAS ALREADY LEFT...
I GUESS I'LL GET A TAXI...

IT'S IMPOSSIBLE HINA-SAN...
TO BE THEIR "TRUE FRIEND"
TO A LADY LIKE YOU...

SFX: THUMP
!
OPEN
HINA-SAN...!
Look here

SAWATARI-SAN IS USUALLY DIFFERENT FROM THE OTHER TWO.
I DON'T FEEL A WALL BETWEEN US.

I WONDER WHY TAKATOU-SAN...
DIDN'T LET ME TAKE CARE OF HER...

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I love his blushing face. >///<

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SPC Beach
YOU'RE TELLING ME COVENANT OF DARKNESS STILL NEEDS..
NO WAY...
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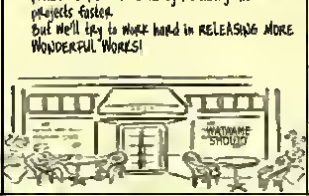

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LET ME INTRODUCE
MISS SAKURA MIKA A GOOD FRIEND OF MY'N FROM MIDDLE-SCHOOL
PLEASED TO MEET YOU
HELLO
AH
PLEASED TO MEET YOU
SORRY FOR COMING OUT OF THE BLUE!
TOTALLY DIFFERENT STYLE
A WORKING WOMAN TYPE?
I GOT YOUR NEW YEARS CARD
SO I'D THOUGHT I'D STOP BY TO SEE YOU
NOTHING IN COMMON WITH THE OWNER
SO YOU FEELING BETTER NOW?
YOU LOOK MORE CHEERFUL
UM THANKS FOR WORRYING

BEAUTIFUL INTERIOR GREAT ATMOSPHERE AND COMFY SEATS
NEXT TIME I'LL STOP BY WHEN THE CAFE'S OPEN
AND ANOTHER THING
SURROUNDED BY GUYS I GUESS I SHOULD FORGET ABOUT THE FAVOUR I WANTED TO ASK YOU
HINA PROBABLY WON'T BE ABLE TO CHOOSE ♡
SO GOOD TO HAVE HANDSOME STAFF AROUND YOU LOIKE THIS ♡
WHAT KIND OF FAV OUR?
HE HE HE WELL YOU SEE..
HA HA MIKA-CHAN A PERSON ISN'T AN OBJECT

YEH THIS COMMING FRIDAY
THE OTHER PARTY ALL WORK AT REALLY GOOD COMPANYS YOU KNOW
GROUP DATE !?
MY FRIEND SUDDENLY TELLS ME THAT SHE CAN'T MAKE IT AND
THERE WAS NO ONE ELSE SO I'M ASKING YOU
NOW WAIT A MINUITE!!
GROUP DATING... NO WAY!!
I'VE NEVER BEEN TO ONE SINCE THE DAY I WAS BORN
AND BESIDES I'M A WIDOW!?
HOW CAN I GO

ALL OF MY FRIENDS ARE EITHER STUCK WITH WORK OR HAVE DATES ON THAT DAY...
THIS MEETING HAS TO HAVE A COMPLETE COUPLES SET PRETTY PLEASE?
.....!
IT'S JUST LIKE A SMALL GET-TOGETHER
JUST GO SIT AND TALK ABOUT ANYTHING THAT'S ALL THERE IS TO IT
THAT'S NOT THE POINT
...OK ...I GIVE I'LL GO...
ONLY BECAUSE IT'S YOU I'LL PROBABLY ONLY SIT THERE...
BUT BE-FOREHAND I JUST WANT TO TELL YOU
FOR REAL !? THANKS !!
THIS IS REALLY GREAT

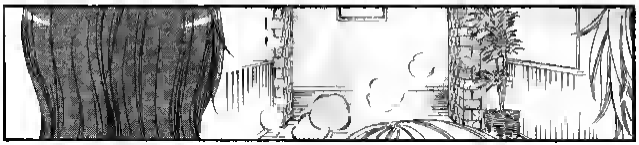
I'M NOT AIMING TO EVER FALLIN LOVE AGAIN
BECAUSE I'VE DECIDED TO LOVE ONLY MR. KUNIKASU
SO THIS IS REALYY TROUBLING FOR ME
SORRY
RE... REALLY
OK NEXT TIME I WON'T ASK.
OWNER !
IT'S TIMETO GO BUY SUPPLIES!
EH THAT'S RIGHT WE HAVE TO HURRY!
SORRY MIKA CHAN
YUKIMURA-SAN PLEASE TAKE CARE OF MIKA-CHAN FOE ME
SCRAPE
SURE
THUMP THUMP

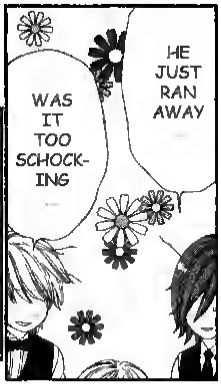
HUM
FROM WHAT I'VE SEEN SO FAR THERE HASN'T BEEN ANY DEVELOP MENT
EH
ARE YOU NOT SINGLE AT THE MOMENT?
NOPE I'M STILL SINGLE
BUT WITH GOOD GUYS AROUND HER LIKE THIS
SHE REALLY DOESN'T FEEL ANYTHING AT ALL?
SHE MAY SAY THAT
SO THEN
WHY DID YOU ASK HER TO THE GROUP DATE?
JUST BECAUSE THERE AREN'T ENOUGH PEOPLE
YOU COULD HAVE ASKED ANYONE
WAH
YOU GOT ME THERE ....
UM WELL THE TRUTH IS IT'S MY PLAN
WHEN I FOUND OUT THAT HER HUSBAND HAD PASSED AWAY I THOUGHT DOING THIS WOULD BE A BAD IDEA AT FIRST

YOU DO KNOW HER HISTORY RIGHT?
JUST A BIT
IT'S PROBABLY BECAUSE OF THIS THAT
SHE HOLDS ON TOO TIGHTLY TO THE HAPPY TIMES THAT SHE HAD IN THE PAST
EVEN IN MIDDLE-SCHOOL SHE STILL HELD ON TO THE DOLL FROM WHEN SHE WAS AT THE ORPHANAGE TATTERED AND TORN
SHE WOULD JUST SEW IT BACK TOGETHER AND EVEN AFTER SHE MARRIED SHE STILL KEPT THAT DOLL
.....
WHEN I SAW THE NEW YEARS CARD THAT SHE WROTE ME
I FELT THAT SHE WOULD ALSO FALL APART ALONG WITH THE CAFE

SO THAT'S HOW IT IS
THAT'S WHY YOU ASKED HER TO THA GOURP DATE
I DON'T BELIEVE THAT FINDING A MAN WILL SOLVE THE PROBLEM
THOUGH... AT LEAST I WANT HER TO EXPERIENCE THE OUTSIDE WORLD FROM TIME TO TIME...
SHE'S ONLY 23
I KNOW IT'S NONE OF MY BUSINESS
ON THE OUT-SIDE IT LOOKS LIKE EVERYTHING IS ALL RIGHT BUT INSIDE SHE S STUCK IN THE PAST
YEH I UNDER-STAND
I AGREE WITH YIOU
PEOPLE CAN'T ALWAYS LIVE IN THE PAST
WELL
WE THINK ALIKE
THAT'S RIGHT
SHE MAY SAY THAT BUT WHO KNOWS WHAT HER HEART TRULY DESIRES
TRUE DESIRES ...

[Omiai] = marriage proposal meeting
WORN OUT
SOUJI YOU'VE BEEN COMMING IN LATE MORE OFTHEN
UGH I HAD TO GO TURN DOWN AN OMIAI...
OH SO THAT'S WHY...
RING RING
SAWATARI SOUJI
YOU'RE
SOU-CHAN YOU CAME
!?
HINA SHOWED ME A PICTURE OF YOU ONCE BEFORE
EH WHAT'S AN EX-PRO TENNIS PLAYER DOING HERE !?
AND WHO IS SHE !?
AN OLD FRIEND OF THE OWNER'S
SHE CAME TO INVITE THE OWNER TO A GROUP DATE
AND THE OWNER AGREED TO GO




HE JUST RAN AWAY
WAS IT TOO SCHOCK-ING

SAWATARI SOUJI LIKES HINA ?
AM I THINK-ING TOO MUCH HUMM.

I'M BACK
IT'S A LONG STORY
SO WHY IS HE WORK-ING AT THIS CAFE?
UM

QUEEN'S CAFE
THE OWNER'S GONNA GO OUT AROUND 5?
YEH ABOUT THAT TIME
SOU-CHAN ARE YOU FREE
MUNCH
THESE PAST DAYS THAT GUY HASN'T HELPED OUT AT ALL
THAT BASTARD! WE'RE ALREADY SHORT OF STAFF
YUKIMURA SAN!
CAN YOU DO SOME THING FOR ME
MUNCH

COULD YOU CHECK THE CAKE IN THE OVEN...
OWNER !!
CRUNCH
Oh
AND PUT IT IN THE REFRIG-ERATOR
AND THE STEW IN THE POT...
!!
.....

.....
DON'T WORRY JUST TRY TO EN-JOY YOUR -SELF
THEN... I'LL LEAVE THE STORE TO YOU
HUMM NO MATTER WHAT SHE WEARS
SHE STILL LOOKS CUTE !
EVEN IF SHE DOSEN'T REALLY WANT TO GO
GUYS WILL PROBABLY FLOCK TO HER...
SHUT-UP! DAM IT!
...AGH!! WILL YOU QUIT MUMBLING LIKE A PERSON WHO WAS DITCHED

SIGH
I HAD TO
GO AND
THINK THAT
SHE LOOKED
CUTE
SHIT
...
HEY
SOU-
CHAN
DON'T
TAKE IT
TOO HARD
ON YOUR
-SELF
I KNOW
THAT SOU-
CHAN DOESN'T
PLAN TO FALL
IN LOVE
AGAIN
THAT'S
WHAT MAKES
YOU FEEL LIKE
YOU AND THE
OWNER ARE
SIMILAR

"RESERVED AND WELL BEHAVED"
KA
~
CHING
:
TICK
TICK
TICK
SCRAPE
MUNCH
...I JUST THOUGHT OF SOME -THING ...
BUT SOU-CHAN AND THE OWNER ARE TWO DIFF -ERENT PEOPLE
YOU CAN'T PERDICT A PERSON'S HEART
AT GROUP DATES
YOU HAVE TO DRINK RIGHT ...?
WELL YEH THAT'S RIGHT
NATURAL -LY OF COURSE ....
.....

WHY THE HELL DID YOU JUST NOTICE THAT FACT NOW YOU IDIOT!!
YOU'RE BLAMING ME!? WHO'S FAULT IS IT ANYWAYS !?
The stew will get cold !
DO YOU REALY GO TO "TOUDAI"!? I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS!!
I DON'T WANT TO BE CALLED AN IDIOT BY SOMEONE LIKE YOU!!
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO'S AN IDIOT!
EH THAT COULD BE FUN TO WATCH
WHY ARE YOU STILL HOLDING ME RESPONDSIBLE !!
WHAT IF THE OWNER HITS ON ALL OF THE GUYS AT THE MEETING!
DON'T MAKE EXCUSES !!
COME ON...
I'VE ALREADY ASKED THE NAME OF THE RESTAURANT
SORRY I WAS WRONG I TAKE IT BACK

[Toudai] = One of the Top Prestegious Japanese University in Tokyo

IN THE END THEY FOLLOWED HER...
IF SHE STARTS GOING CRAZY FOR REAL
WHAT ARE WE GONNA TO DO?
THEN THE SECRET THAT WE CLOSED UP SHOPWILL BE OUT
LETS PRAY THAT NOTHING HAPPENS
why is the shop closed today!
chhh!
OF COURSE WE HAVE TO STOP HER
SO IS SHE DRINK ING ANY THING ?
SHE'S TAKING JUST A FEW SIPS

SO WHAT DO YOU LIKE TO DO ON THE WEEKENDS MRS. TAKATO ?
AH... WELL...
HER FACE LOOKS LIKE SHE'S AT A LOST ...
OR IS SHE NOT FULL BECAUSE THERE IS NOT ENOUGH FOOD?
Ah
OH SO PRIM AND PROPER
OR JUST STAY AT HOME
UM...AH I READ BOOKS SOME-TIMES ...
I'M NOT SUITED FOR THIS KIND OF PLACE
WORKING IN A COMPANY YOU GET TO MEET A LOT OF PEOPLE...
IT'A WHOLE S NOTHER WORLD THAT I'VE NEVER KNOWN
EVEN THOUGH OUR AGES AREN'T THAT MUCH DIFFERENT
BUT IT'S LIKE WE COME FROM DIFFERENT WORLDS

HINA
?
THE PRESENT AND THE FUTURE
THIS IS A WORLD THAT IS NOT MENT FOR ME
JUST WHAT AM I THINKING
I'M ALREADY SATISFIED WITH THE LIFE THAT I LIVE
NO NO-THING
OH, NO
WH WHAT?
WHAT'S WRONG YOU SEEM SO OUT OF IT ARE YOU NOT FEELING WELL?
MR KUNIKASHI GAVE THE CAFE TO A WOMAN LIKE ME WHO HAS NOT A THING TO HER NAME
THAT IS ALREADY ENOUGH HAPPINESS
I'M THE WORST
I HAD ALREADY DECIDED TO PROTECT IT FOREVER
BUT WHY DO I THINK THAT WAY
SORRY THAT I'M LATE

EH
I HAD SOME WORK THAT I NEEDED TO FINISH SO SORR ...
...EH?
SPRAY
GUH

คุณอินะ นี่นา
MR. LAWYER !!
MR. TODO? WHY...
HOW COME YOU'RE HERE !!!
EH DO YOU TWO KNOW EACH OTHER?
YEP IT'S SUCH A COINCI-DENCENCE
REALLY I CAN'T BELIEVE IT...
NEVER THOUGHT I'D MEET YOU HERE
WHY IS YOUR FACE ALL RED? ARE YOU NOT FEEL -ING WELL ?

I CAN'T HEAR WHAT THEY'RE SAYING
EH... I GUESS IT'S BECAUSE I HAVEN'T DRANK ALCHOL IN QUITE A LONG TIME...
ARE YOU FEELING TIPSY? YHAT'S NOT GOOD
EH... THE 2 OF THEM GIT UP
WHAT? WHAT ARE THEY GONNA DO?
EXCUSE US WE'RE GOING TO THE BALCONY FOR SOME FRESH AIR
WE'LL HURRY BACK
THEY ALREADY GOT TOGETHER
SHHEEH. I WAS AIMING FOR HER
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.....
OUI. HE TOOK HER OUT TO THE BALCONY!
AGGH

WE CAN'T SEE ANY-THING LIKE THIS
Umm
THAT NOSEY LAWYER !
BUT I GUESS IT CAN'T BE HELPED
SO WHY DID YOU COME TO THE GROUP DATE?
MY FRIEND ASKED AND I COULDN'T TURN HER DOWN
IT'S LIKE IF I CAME THERE WOULD BE A COM-PLETE SET
DIDO THE SAME GOES FOR ME

I REALLY SHOULDN'T HAVE COME HERE
BUT I
BECAUSE HE'S A CUSTOMER I COULDN'T REFUSE HIM
IT'S SUCH A HEAD-ACHE
WE'RE ALIKE
I REALIZE THAT I
THINK THINGS AT THE LAST MINUTE
THE TRUTH IS
I DON'T HAVE A REASON FOR COMING HERE AT ALL
GO BACK TO THE CAFE
THAT'S NOT IT I DON'T HAVE A GIRL-FRIEND
YOU'VE MIS-UNDER-STOOD
MY HEAD HURTS
I WANT TO GET AWAY FROM HERE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
EH ?
IT MAKES ME HATE MYSELF
THAT'S RIGHT YOUR GIRL-FRIEND

AND WHO ARE YOU
BUTTING IN WITH WHAT WE DO
YOU SAY SHE'S YOUR COMPANION
BA-DUMP
ARE YOU SIBLING? OR WHAT ?
SL SIBLINGS
!?
WHAT ARE YOU DOING IN HERE SOUJI !
YOSHISUMI
NO WAY !!
BUT

I
.....
ALL BY MY -SELF
.....
EH ?
THE 2 WIFE OF THE PRESIDENT JUST PASSED AWAY
TAKATO GROUP? ARE YOU KIDDING ME !?
YEH I'M DE-FINATELY SURE
HE'S WORST THAN A STALKER
DAM THAT LAWYER
Guest Room

THEY'ER FROM THE GROUP DATE ...
HEY... SO WHAT IS A WIDOW DOING AT A GROUP DATE ANY -WAYS
BEATS ME I DO HAVE A CLUE
THEN THAT MEANS
SHE PROBABLY GOT A HUGE INHERITANCE FROM HER LATE HUSBAND?
BUT TO HAVE TO TAKE HER AFTER THAT OLD MAN
HEY !
DON'T TALK ABOUT MY COMPANION LIKE THAT
IT'S RUDE
RIGHT! I CATCH HER AND IT'LL BE THE EASY LIFE FOR SURE
WOW I JUST GOT ALL FIRED -UP
SHE'S ALSO PRETTY

EXCUSE US! THIS GUY IS A BIT DRUNK HA HA
DON'T GET ANGRY
THOSE GUYS TALKED BADLY ABOUT THE OWNER...
IT SEEMS THAT THE OWNER WAS DEAD DRUNK AND PASSED OUT
!!
WHY DO YOU HAVE TO GO LOOKING FOR TROUBLE WITH SOME KIDS
AND ANOTHER THING WE HAVE A BIG PROBLEM
NOZUMU
WHAT'S GOING ON?
AH... WELL...

TOUDO-SAN CARRIED THE OWNER WHO WAS OUT COLD TO
SAY THEIR GOOD-BYES TO EVERYONE AFTER THAT I DON'T KNOW WHERE HE CARRIED HER OFF TO
HAA .....
THEN WHERE DID HE TAKE HER !?
HOW THE HECK AM I SUP POSED TO KNOW I COULDN'T HEAR THEM
SO WHY DIDN'T YOU STOP HIM YOU MORRON !!
AND HOW PRAY TELL AM I SUPPOSED TO DO THAT?

YOU DO REALIZE THAT OUR RELATION -SHIP IS JUST THAT OF AN OWNER AND HER STAFF
IF THE OWNER STARTS MAKING A SCENE I COULD INTERFERE - NO PROBLEM
BUT IF SHE'S NOT PROTESTING ANYTHING
WHAT RIGHT DO WE HAVE TO STOP TOUDO-SAN WHO HAS A MAJOR CRUSH ON THE OWNER?
BANG
THERE IS NOTHING MORE AND NOTHING LESS TO IT

NISHI-OKIKUBO STATION ...
NO MAKE IT
THE PARK HYATT PLEASE
YES SIR
AN UNEXPECTED NEW YEARS [END]
Please stay tune for volume 2 (-'o'-)v

To Be Continued...!!

THE PAINFULLY UNBARABLE TRUTH IS I WANT TO HOLD SOME ONE AND BE HELD IN RETURN
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...CAN I ASK YOU GUYS SOME-THING ...
WHO HUGGED WHO FIRST ?
HEY NOZUMU
HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED WHY TAKATO-SAN WOULD LEAVE THE OWNER IN OUR CARE?